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1. SNCC DEPUTY CO-CHAIRMEN MET FOR FOUR HOURS AND FORTY-FIVE MINUTES MARCH 27 AT PANMUNJOM.

2. WHILE MEETING IN PROGRESS, ROK SIDE GAVE PRESS COPIES OF STATEMENT TO BE READ BY CHANG KI-YONG, ROK DEPUTY CO-CHAIRMAN. STATEMENT EMPHASIZED INCONSISTENCIES IN NORTH'S ACCOUNT OF FEB 15 FISHING BOAT INCIDENT AND ASKED FOR EXPLANATION, SUGGESTED SALVAGING THE SUNKEN CRAFT TO DETERMINE HOW IT WAS SUNK, AND REQUESTED NAMES OF THE CAPTURED FISHERMEN. STATEMENT ALSO SAID REORGANIZATION OF SNCC SHOULD BE DISCUSSED AT CO-CHAIRMEN'S LEVEL BUT SOUTH WILL BE FLEXIBLE. FINALLY, CHANG BROUGHT UP NORTH KOREAN PROPAGANDA, SAYING NORTH SHOULD NOT CALL SOUTH UNDEMOCRATIC WHEN NORTH ITSELF HAS COMMUNIST MONOLITHIC SYSTEM AND OLIGARCHIC PROLETARIAN DICTATORSHIP.

3. ACCORDING TO RADIO ACCOUNTS, SOUTH SIDE SPOKESMAN
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LEE DONG-BOK ANNOUNCED FOLLOWING MEETING THAT NORTH

HAD REFUSED TO DISCUSS THE FEB 15 FISHING BOAT INCIDENT
AND HAD CONTAINUED ITS SLANDEROUS ACCUSATIONS ABOUT
THE SOUTH. THE MEETING ENDED WITH NO RESULT WHATSOEVER,
ACCORDING TO LEE, WHO REPORTEDLY USED THE TERM "NORTHERN
PUPPET" IN HIS ANNOUNCEMENT.
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